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Commissioner for Patents  
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RE: APPLICATION OF TIWALD TITLED "METHOD OF APPLYING PARAMETRIC  
OSCILLATORS TO MODEL DIELECTRIC FUNCTIONS";  
SERIAL NO. 10/849,729;  
FILE DATE: 05/20/2004;  
ART UNIT: 2857;  
EXAMINER: CHARIOUI, M.

RESPONSE TO ADVISORY ACTION

Dear Sir;

I am in receipt of an Advisory Action dated 12/05/05 regarding the identified Application. Therein the Examiner has identified informalities in Claim 1, and in a phone conversation on 12/05/05 called attention to concerns regarding Claims 4, 15, 26 and 32. It is believed that said informalities and concerns are overcome by the accompanying Amended Claims.

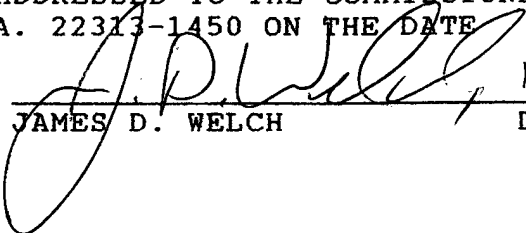
It is noted that the informalities identified by the Examiner are in part due to a printer malfunction. For instance, the problem in Claim 1 was the result of the printer, for some unknown reason, printing dashed underlines. I have simply deleted the problem language and added equivalent description. It is also noted that Claims 6, 7, 8, 9, 18, 19, 20, 29, 30, 31, 35, 36, 37, 40 and 41 were mislabeled as "original" in the last Response and should have been labeled (presently amended) when parentheses were removed. Therefore said Claims are labeled (previously amended).

As the submittal dated 15 November 2005 was not entered, it is considered that Amendments made therein should remain in the Claims submitted under this cover, and additional Amendments are now made in said Claims to overcome the more recently identified informalities in Claims 1, 4, 15, 26 and 32.

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